

Meeting of IOE Members from Europe and Central Asia

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Rome, 12th - 13th September 2019



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Thursday, 12th September 2019
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Viale dell'Astronomia 30, Rome

- 13.15 Bus transfer from Sina Bernini Bristol Hotel to the headquarters of Confindustria
Light lunch
- 15.00 - 15.45 **Opening session**
Renate Hornung-Draus, *Vice-President for Europe and Central Asia, International Organisation of Employers (IOE)*
Vincenzo Boccia, *President, Confindustria*
Erol Kiresepi, *President, IOE*
Nunzia Catalfo, *Minister of Employment and Social Affairs, Italy (invited)*
- 15.45 - 16.30 **National social policies in the context of globalisation and the multilateral trade system**
Keynote session
Yi Xiaozhun, *Deputy Director-General, World Trade Organisation (WTO)*
Marcella Panucci, *Director-General, Confindustria*
Roberto Suarez Santos, *Secretary-General, IOE*
- 16.30 - 18.30 **The challenges for Employers' Organisation in a changing political and economic environment**
Moderator: Renate Hornung-Draus, *IOE Vice-President for Europe and Central Asia*
Tour de table with national experiences
- 18.30 **Family photo**
- 18.45 **Transfer to Sina Bernini Bristol Hotel**
- 19.45 **Official dinner at Sina Bernini Bristol Hotel (dress code: business attire)**

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Sina Bernini Bristol Hotel
Piazza Barberini, 23, Rome

8.30 - 9.30

ILO Centenary Declaration: what is in it for Employers?

Moderator: Renate Hornung-Draus, *IOE Vice-President for Europe and Central Asia*

- ***Overview of the 2019 ILO Centenary Declaration for the Future of Work***
Renate Hornung-Draus, *IOE Vice-President for Europe and Central Asia*
 - ***Planned activities of the ILO Regional Office to give effect to the content of the Centenary Declaration***
Heinz Koller, *ILO Regional Director for Europe and Central Asia*
 - ***The ILO productivity strategy***
Dragan Radić, *Head of the Small and Medium Enterprises Unit, ILO HQ*
- Discussion*

09.30 - 10.45

The IOE Centenary in 2020: what priorities for the European & Central Asian region?

Moderator: Renate Hornung-Draus, *IOE Vice-President for Europe and Central Asia*

- ***Introduction***
Roberto Suarez Santos, *Secretary-General, IOE*
- Discussion and tour de table*

10.45 - 11.15

Coffee break

11.15 - 12.15

The transformation of work: what challenges for Employers' Organisations?

A. Interest representation by Employers' Organisations in the context of the multiplication of lobby actors

Moderator: Deborah France, *Director, ILO ACTEMP*

Michel Guilbaud, *Managing Director, Mouvement des Entreprises de France (MEDEF)*

David M. Iakobachvili, *Chair of the RSPP Committee on Corporate Social Responsibility and Demographic Policy*

Jože Smole, *Secretary-General, Association of Employers of Slovenia (ZDS)*

Discussion

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- 12.15 - 13.30 ***The transformation of work: what challenges for Employers' Organisations? (continued)***
B. What future for business models and industrial relations?
Moderator: Rhona Murphy, *Head of Employment Law Services, Irish Business and Employers' Confederation (IBEC)*
Preliminary presentation on the outcome of the ILO-EC project on industrial relations - Bernd Waas, Frankfurt University
Christos Ioannou, *Director, Employment and Labour Market, Hellenic Federation of Enterprises (SEV)*
Daniele Vassallo, *Vice-President, Foreign Labour Law, Dispute and Contract Schemes, ENI*
Discussion
- 13.30 - 14.30 **Standing buffet**
- 14.30 - 16.00 ***The transformation of work: what challenges for Employers' Organisations? (continued)***
C. How Employers' Organisations can assist their members in anticipating the skills required?
Moderator: Janusz Pietkiewicz, *Vice-President, Employers' of Poland*
José María Lacasa Aso, *President, Función Confederación Española de Organizaciones Empresariales (CEOE)*
Yehuda Segev, *Director-General of the Presidium of Israel Business Organisations, Manufacturers' Association of Israel (MAI)*
Alfonso Balsamo, *Adviser, Employment, Welfare and Human Capital Department, Confindustria*
Samuel Asfaha, *Senior Adviser, ILO ACT/EMP*
Discussion
- 16.00 - 16.30 **Closing**
Maurizio Stirpe, *Vice-President for Industrial Relations, Confindustria*
Renate Hornung-Draus, *IOE Vice-President for Europe*
Erol Kiresepi, *President, IOE*
- 16.45 Guided tour Palazzo Barberini
- 19.30 Bus transfer from hotel to dinner venue
- 20.00 Informal dinner at Restaurant "La Carbonara", Piazza Campo de' Fiori, 23

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